

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**Applicant(s): Mark Gonikberg****Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS TO IDENTIFY A REMOTE
COMMUNICATION APPARATUS AND ENHANCE
COMMUNICATION PERFORMANCE BASED ON THE
IDENTIFICATION****Application No.: 09/658,754 Filed: September 8, 2000****Examiner: David B. Lugo Group Art Unit: 2637****Atty. Docket No.: 1005-0020 Confirmation No.: 3170****PROPOSED DISCUSSION FOR TELEPHONIC INTERVIEW**

- 1) Distinction between comparing characteristics of signals and determining the existence of a signal
- 2) Distinction between a protocol and a protocol with a hidden signal inserted
- 3) If Bremer is considered as disclosing a protocol (i.e., the combination of a hidden signal and V.25), Bremer does not disclose variations in characteristics within multiple implementations of his "protocol."